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Facilitated Migration Services:

Application Assistance

In order to assist migrants applying to resettle in the United States, for a fee, IOM Vietnam provides professional, transparent application assistance as per the most up-to-date U.S. guidelines.

1- Immediate Relatives of U.S. Citizens

- spouse (IR1 or CR1)
- unmarried children under age 21 (IR2)
- parents (IR5) of a U.S. citizen who is age 21 or older

2- Family-Based Immigrant

- First Preference (F1): Unmarried sons and daughters of U.S. citizens and their children
- Second Preference (F2A and F2B): Spouses, children, and unmarried adult sons and daughters of lawful permanent resident aliens

- Third Preference (F3): Married sons and daughters of U.S. citizens and their spouses and children under age 21
- Fourth Preference (F4): Brothers and sisters of a U.S. citizen and their spouses and children under age 21, provided the U.S. citizen is at least 21 years of age.

3- Marriage-Based Nonimmigrant Visas

- Fiancé(e)s of U.S. citizens (K-1)

4- Consular Report of Birth Abroad

- Sons and daughters of U.S. citizens born in Vietnam

5- Waiver of Grounds of Excludability (I-601)

6- Application to Replace Permanent Resident Card (I-90)

7- Transportation Letter

Fingerprinting Assistance

1- Immigrant Applicants

- Hong Kong Certificate of No Criminal Record for Camp Returnees

2- Nonimmigrant Visa Applicants

- Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), CJIS Employment Background Checks for U.S. employment or studies

3- U.S. Citizens

- Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), CJIS Employment Background Checks for Vietnam Labor Card .